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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :  
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- v. - :  
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CARLOS MANUEL BETANCES LUNA MERA, :  
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Defendant. :  
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ORDER

S1 18 Cr. 407 (KMW)

WHEREAS, with the consent of the defendant, CARLOS MANUEL BETANCES LUNA MERA, his guilty plea allocution was taken before a United States Magistrate Judge on October 2, 2019; and

WHEREAS, a transcript of the allocution was made and thereafter was transmitted to the District Court; and

WHEREAS, upon review of that transcript, this Court has determined that the defendant entered the guilty plea knowingly and voluntarily and that there was a factual basis for the guilty plea;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the defendant's guilty plea is accepted.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: New York, New York

10-31-19

Kimba M. Wood  
THE HONORABLE KIMBA M. WOOD  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK